Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 12 Aug 2022 until 23:59 on Saturday 13 Aug 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 12 Aug 2022 at 03:39 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for hot and dry conditions to continue into Saturday and an increasing risk of showers from Sunday. Low confidence for detail of the showers Sunday to Tuesday.

Headline for Friday 12 Aug 2022: Early cloud clearing then becoming hot and sunny.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 12 Aug 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Friday 12 Aug 2022

Weather: Cloudy at first, especially over ranges west of the A9, but this clearing during the morning. Otherwise, dry with clear or sunny skies throughout, another hot and sunny day.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70% becoming 100%

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud above 600m at first, mainly in the west, clearing during the morning. Otherwise very good visibility with no or little cloud expected by the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	13/15 S	12/15 S	9/13 SW	9/13 SW	9/12 W	11/14 S	13/16 S
900	6/7 SE	6/8 NE	8/11 W	9/13 W	8/12 N	7/9 S	8/11 S
600	4/5 E	3/5 N	6/10 W	8/12 W	7/11 N	5/7 NE	4/6 E
300	1/2 SW	1/2 NW	4/7 W	7/12 N	6/12 N	3/5 NW	2/3 W
Glen	1/3 S	3/4 SE	4/9 SE	5/10 N	3/8 N	2/6 N	1/4 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	10/7	12/9	14/12	16/14	15/13	12/10	11/9
900	12/12	13/12	16/15	18/16	16/15	15/14	14/12
600	12/12	14/14	19/17	20/19	18/17	15/14	14/13
300	12/12	17/17	22/21	22/21	19/18	14/14	12/13
Glen	12/13	17/18	23/22	23/21	19/19	14/14	11/12
Freezing Level*	2800m	2600m	2500m	2500m	2500m	2500m	2500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
High UV levels with a high risk of sunburn. Some sheltered glens may see temperatures of up to 27 Celsius.

Forecast for Saturday 13 Aug 2022
Weather: A dry hot and sunny day with very warm temperatures slightly higher than Friday.

Maximum wind: South to southwest 5-10 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 100%.

Low cloud and visibility: Very good visibility with no or little cloud expected.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 10 Celsius rising to 26 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 12 Celsius rising to 19 Celsius
Freezing level: Well above the summits.

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